

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI
WESTERN DIVISION**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

ANTONIO MANNING, (01),
[DOB: 09/03/2001],

DEJOHUAN MIETZ HUNTLEY, (02),
[DOB: 11/03/1997],

SHERON LAMONT MANNING, (03),
[DOB: 02/28/2003], and

MICHAEL DEWAYNE HARDY, (04),
[DOB: 07/08/2002],

Defendants.

Case No. _____

COUNT ONE:

(Conspiracy to Traffick Firearms)

All Defendants

18 U.S.C. §§ 933(a)(1), (3), and (b)

NMT: 15 Years Imprisonment

NMT: \$250,000 Fine

NMT: 3 Years Supervised Release

Class C Felony

COUNT TWO:

(Engaging in Firearm Sales Without a License)

All Defendants

18 U.S.C. §§ 922(a)(1)(A), 923(a), and

924(a)(1)(D)

NMT: 5 Years Imprisonment

NMT: \$250,000 Fine

NMT: 3 Years Supervised Release

Class D Felony

**COUNTS THREE, FIVE, SIX, SEVEN, NINE,
ELEVEN, THIRTEEN, FOURTEEN,
SIXTEEN, EIGHTEEN and TWENTY-ONE:**

(Trafficking Firearms)

Ct. 3, 5, 6 – Defendant Antonio Manning

Ct. 7 – Defendant Michael Hardy

Ct. 9, 11, 13, 14, 16 – Defendant Sheron Manning

Ct. 18, 21 – Defendant Dejuan Huntley

18 U.S.C. §§ 933(a)(1) and (b)

NMT: 15 Years Imprisonment

NMT: \$250,000 Fine

NMT: 3 Years Supervised Release

Class C Felony

COUNTS FOUR, EIGHT, TEN, TWELVE, FIFTEEN, SEVENTEEN, NINETEEN and TWENTY-TWO:

(Possession of an Unregistered Machinegun)

Ct. 4 – Defendant Antonio Manning

Ct. 8 – Defendant Michael Hardy

Ct. 10, 12, 15, 17 – Defendant Sheron Manning

Ct. 19, 22 – Defendant Dejuan Huntley

26 U.S.C. §§ 5861(d), 5871, and 5845

NMT: 10 Years Imprisonment

NMT: \$250,000 Fine

NMT: 3 Years Supervised Release

Class C Felony

COUNTS TWENTY and TWENTY-THREE:

(Felon in Possession of a Firearm)

Defendant Dejuan Huntley Only

18 U.S.C. §§ 922(g)(1), and 924(a)(8)

NMT: 15 Years' Imprisonment

NMT: \$250,000 Fine

NMT: 3 Years' Supervised Release

\$100 Mandatory Special Assessment

Class C Felony

FORFEITURE ALLEGATION

All Defendants

18 U.S.C. § 934

\$100 Mandatory Special Assessment For Each Count

Defendant	Name	Counts
1	ANTONIO MANNING	1, 2, 3-6, FA
2	DEJHUAN MIETZ HUNTLEY	1, 2, 18-23, FA
3	SHERON LAMONT MANNING	1, 2, 9 -17, FA
4	MICHAEL DEWAYNE HARDY	1, 2, 7, 8, FA

SECRET INDICTMENT

THE GRAND JURY CHARGES THAT:

COUNT ONE
(Conspiracy to Traffick Firearms)

Between on or about, May 24, 2022, and April 20, 2023, said dates being approximate, in the Western District of Missouri and elsewhere, the defendants, **ANTONIO MANNING, DEJOHUAN MIETZ HUNTLEY, SHERON LAMONT MANNING, and MICHAEL DEWAYNE HARDY**, knowingly and intentionally combined, conspired, confederated and agreed together and with each other, and with other persons known and unknown to the Grand Jury, to ship, transport, transfer, cause to be transported, or otherwise dispose of firearms, to wit the following firearms:

- A Glock, Model 19, 9mm caliber, handgun, bearing Serial Number BKHR170;
- A Glock, Model 17, 9mm caliber, handgun, bearing Serial Number AARD738;
- A Glock, Model 23, .40 caliber, handgun, bearing Serial Number BUGF363;
- An Anderson Manufacturing, Model AM-15, AR-15 style, multi-caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number 22022202;
- An Anderson Manufacturing, Model AM-15, AR-15 style, multi-caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number 22022226;
- A Romar/Cugir, Mini Draco, 7.62 x 39 caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number ROA 22 PG-3659;
- A Century Arms, Model “VSKA,” 7.62 x 39 caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number SV7P008760;
- An Anderson Manufacturing, Model AM-15, AR-15 style, multi-caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number 22022225;
- An Anderson Manufacturing, Model AM-15, AR-15 style, multi-caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number 22022215;
- An Anderson Manufacturing, Model AM-15, AR-15 style, multi-caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number 22021785;
- An Anderson Manufacturing, Model AM-15, AR-15 style, multi-caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number 21412257;

- An Anderson Manufacturing, Model AM-15, AR-15 style, multi-caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number 22094913;
- A Glock, Model 22, Model 22, .40 caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number XCD938;
- A Glock, Model 19, 9mm caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number BHCR180;
- A Glock, Model 41, .45 caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number YWE140;
- An Anderson Manufacturing, Model AM-15, AR-15 style, multi-caliber, pistol, bearing an obliterated Serial Number;
- An Anderson Manufacturing, Model AM-15, AR-15 style, multi-caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number 22108192;
- A Glock, Model 22, .40 caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number BWTM124;
- A Glock, Model 23, .40 caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number ZLZ965;
- A Glock, Model 19, 9mm caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number BKPX144;
- A Glock, Model 17, 9mm caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number BKUB535; and
- A Glock, Model 22, .40 caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number MYR680

to another person in or otherwise affecting commerce, knowing or having reasonable cause to believe that the use, carrying, or possession of the firearm by the recipient would constitute a felony, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 933(a)(1), (3) and (b).

COUNT TWO
(Engaging in Firearm Sales Without a License)

Between on or about, May 24, 2022, and April 20, 2023, said dates being approximate, in the Western District of Missouri and elsewhere, the defendants, **ANTONIO MANNING, DEJOHUAN MIETZ HUNTLEY, SHERON LAMONT MANNING, and MICHAEL DEWAYNE HARDY**, none being licensed dealers of firearms within the meaning of Chapter 44, Title 18, United States Code, did willfully engage in the business of dealing in firearms,

contrary to the provisions of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 922(a)(1)(A), 923(a), and 924(a)(1)(D).

COUNT THREE
(Trafficking Firearms)

On or about the July 21, 2022, in the Western District of Missouri, the defendant, **ANTONIO MANNING**, did ship, transport, transfer, cause to be transported, or otherwise dispose of firearms, to wit:

- A Glock, Model 19, 9mm caliber, handgun, bearing Serial Number BKHR170;
- A Glock, Model 17, 9mm caliber, handgun, bearing Serial Number AARD738;
- A Glock, Model 23, .40 caliber, handgun, bearing Serial Number BUGF363;
- An Anderson Manufacturing, Model AM-15, AR-15 style, multi-caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number 22022202; and
- An Anderson Manufacturing, Model AM-15, AR-15 style, multi-caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number 22022226

to another person in or otherwise affecting commerce, knowing or having reasonable cause to believe that the use, carrying, or possession of the firearm by the recipient would constitute a felony, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 933(a)(1) and (b).

COUNT FOUR
(Possession of an Unregistered Machinegun)

On or about July 21, 2022, in the Western District of Missouri, the defendant, **ANTONIO MANNING**, knowingly possessed a firearm, that is, a Glock, Model 23, .40 caliber, handgun, bearing Serial Number BUGF363, that had been altered into a machinegun, which was not then registered to him in the National Firearms Registration and Transfer Record, all in violation of Title 26, United States Code, Sections 5861(d), 5871 and 5845.

COUNT FIVE
(Trafficking Firearms)

On or about the August 11, 2022, in the Western District of Missouri, the defendant, **ANTONIO MANNING**, did ship, transport, transfer, cause to be transported, or otherwise dispose of firearms, to wit:

- A Romar/Cugir, Mini Draco, 7.62 x 39 caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number ROA 22 PG-3659;
- A Century Arms, Model “VSKA,” 7.62 x 39 caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number SV7P008760;
- An Anderson Manufacturing, Model AM-15, AR-15 style, multi-caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number 22022225; and
- An Anderson Manufacturing, Model AM-15, AR-15 style, multi-caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number 22022215;

to another person in or otherwise affecting commerce, knowing or having reasonable cause to believe that the use, carrying, or possession of the firearm by the recipient would constitute a felony, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 933(a)(1) and (b).

COUNT SIX
(Trafficking Firearms)

On or about the September 8, 2022, in the Western District of Missouri, the defendant, **ANTONIO MANNING**, aiding and abetting another individual known to the grand jury, did ship, transport, transfer, cause to be transported, or otherwise dispose of firearms, to wit:

- An Anderson Manufacturing, Model AM-15, AR-15 style, multi-caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number 22021785;
- An Anderson Manufacturing, Model AM-15, AR-15 style, multi-caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number 21412257;

to another person in or otherwise affecting commerce, knowing or having reasonable cause to believe that the use, carrying, or possession of the firearm by the recipient would constitute a felony, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 933(a)(1), (b) and Section 2.

COUNT SEVEN
(Trafficking a Firearm)

On or about the September 20, 2022, in the Western District of Missouri, the defendant, **MICHAEL DEWAYNE HARDY**, did ship, transport, transfer, cause to be transported, or otherwise dispose of a firearm, to wit: a Glock, Model 19, 9mm caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number BHCR180, that had been altered into a machinegun, to another person in or otherwise affecting commerce, knowing or having reasonable cause to believe that the use, carrying, or possession of the firearm by the recipient would constitute a felony, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 933(a)(1) and (b).

COUNT EIGHT
(Possession of an Unregistered Machinegun)

On or about September 20, 2022, in the Western District of Missouri, the defendant, **MICHAEL DEWAYNE HARDY**, knowingly possessed a firearm, that is, a Glock, Model 19, 9mm caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number BHCR180, that had been altered into a machinegun, which was not then registered to him in the National Firearms Registration and Transfer Record, all in violation of Title 26, United States Code, Sections 5861(d), 5871 and 5845.

COUNT NINE
(Trafficking a Firearm)

On or about the November 18, 2022, in the Western District of Missouri, the defendant, **SHERON LAMONT MANNING**, did ship, transport, transfer, cause to be transported, or otherwise dispose of a firearm, to wit: a Glock, Model 41, .45 caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number YWE140, that had been altered into a machinegun, to another person in or otherwise

affecting commerce, knowing or having reasonable cause to believe that the use, carrying, or possession of the firearm by the recipient would constitute a felony, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 933(a)(1) and (b).

COUNT TEN
(Possession of an Unregistered Machinegun)

On or about November 18, 2022, in the Western District of Missouri, the defendant, **SHERON LAMONT MANNING**, knowingly possessed a firearm, that is, a Glock, Model 41, .45 caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number YWE140, that had been altered into a machinegun, which was not then registered to him in the National Firearms Registration and Transfer Record, all in violation of Title 26, United States Code, Sections 5861(d), 5871 and 5845.

COUNT ELEVEN
(Trafficking a Firearm)

On or about the January 3, 2023, in the Western District of Missouri, the defendant, **SHERON LAMONT MANNING**, did ship, transport, transfer, cause to be transported, or otherwise dispose of a firearm, to wit: an Anderson Manufacturing, Model AM-15, AR-15 style, multi-caliber, pistol, bearing an obliterated Serial Number, that had been altered into a machinegun, to another person in or otherwise affecting commerce, knowing or having reasonable cause to believe that the use, carrying, or possession of the firearm by the recipient would constitute a felony, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 933(a)(1) and (b).

COUNT TWELVE
(Possession of an Unregistered Machinegun)

On or about January 3, 2023, in the Western District of Missouri, the defendant, **SHERON LAMONT MANNING**, knowingly possessed a firearm, that is, an Anderson Manufacturing, Model AM-15, AR-15 style, multi-caliber, pistol, bearing an obliterated Serial

Number, that had been altered into a machinegun, which was not then registered to him in the National Firearms Registration and Transfer Record, all in violation of Title 26, United States Code, Sections 5861(d), 5871 and 5845.

COUNT THIRTEEN
(Trafficking a Firearm)

On or about the April 6, 2023, in the Western District of Missouri, the defendant, **SHERON LAMONT MANNING**, did ship, transport, transfer, cause to be transported, or otherwise dispose of a firearm, to wit: an Anderson Manufacturing, Model AM-15, AR-15 style, multi-caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number 22108192, to another person in or otherwise affecting commerce, knowing or having reasonable cause to believe that the use, carrying, or possession of the firearm by the recipient would constitute a felony, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 933(a)(1) and (b).

COUNT FOURTEEN
(Trafficking a Firearm)

On or about the April 10, 2023, in the Western District of Missouri, the defendant, **SHERON LAMONT MANNING**, did ship, transport, transfer, cause to be transported, or otherwise dispose of a firearm, to wit: a Glock, Model 22, .40 caliber pistol, bearing Serial Number BWTM124, that had been altered into a machinegun, to another person in or otherwise affecting commerce, knowing or having reasonable cause to believe that the use, carrying, or possession of the firearm by the recipient would constitute a felony, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 933(a)(1) and (b).

COUNT FIFTEEN
(Possession of an Unregistered Machinegun)

On or about April 10, 2023, in the Western District of Missouri, the defendant, **SHERON LAMONT MANNING**, knowingly possessed a firearm, that is, a Glock, Model 22, .40 caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number BWTM124, that had been altered into a machinegun, which was not then registered to him in the National Firearms Registration and Transfer Record, all in violation of Title 26, United States Code, Sections 5861(d), 5871 and 5845.

COUNT SIXTEEN
(Trafficking a Firearm)

On or about the April 17, 2023, in the Western District of Missouri, the defendant, **SHERON LAMONT MANNING**, did ship, transport, transfer, cause to be transported, or otherwise dispose of a firearm, to wit: a Glock, Model 23, .40 caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number ZLZ965, that had been altered into a machinegun, to another person in or otherwise affecting commerce, knowing or having reasonable cause to believe that the use, carrying, or possession of the firearm by the recipient would constitute a felony, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 933(a)(1) and (b).

COUNT SEVENTEEN
(Possession of an Unregistered Machinegun)

On or about April 17, 2023, in the Western District of Missouri, the defendant, **SHERON LAMONT MANNING**, knowingly possessed a firearm, that is, a Glock, Model 23, .40 caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number ZLZ965, that had been altered into a machinegun, which was not then registered to him in the National Firearms Registration and Transfer Record, all in violation of Title 26, United States Code, Sections 5861(d), 5871 and 5845.

COUNT EIGHTEEN
(Trafficking a Firearm)

On or about the April 17, 2023, in the Western District of Missouri, the defendant, **DEJOHUAN MIETZ HUNTLEY**, did ship, transport, transfer, cause to be transported, or otherwise dispose of a firearm, to wit: a Glock, Model 19, 9mm caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number BKPX144, that had been altered into a machinegun, to another person in or otherwise affecting commerce, knowing or having reasonable cause to believe that the use, carrying, or possession of the firearm by the recipient would constitute a felony, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 933(a)(1) and (b).

COUNT NINETEEN
(Possession of an Unregistered Machinegun)

On or about April 17, 2023, in the Western District of Missouri, the defendant, **DEJOHUAN MIETZ HUNTLEY**, knowingly possessed a firearm, that is, a Glock, Model 19, 9mm caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number BKPX144, that had been altered into a machinegun, which was not then registered to him in the National Firearms Registration and Transfer Record, all in violation of Title 26, United States Code, Sections 5861(d), 5871 and 5845.

COUNT TWENTY
(Felon in Possession of a Firearm)

On or about April 17, 2023, in the Western District of Missouri, the defendant, **DEJOHUAN MIETZ HUNTLEY**, then knowing he had been convicted of a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year, did knowingly and unlawfully possess a firearm, to wit: a Glock, Model 19, 9mm caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number BKPX144, which had been transported in interstate commerce, all in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 922(g)(1), and 924(a)(8).

COUNT TWENTY-ONE
(Trafficking Firearms)

On or about the April 20, 2023, in the Western District of Missouri, the defendant, **DEJOHUAN MIETZ HUNTLEY**, did ship, transport, transfer, cause to be transported, or otherwise dispose of firearms, to wit:

- A Glock, Model 17, 9mm caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number BKUB535, that had been altered into a machinegun; and
- A Glock, Model 22, .40 caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number MYR680, that had been altered into a machinegun

to another person in or otherwise affecting commerce, knowing or having reasonable cause to believe that the use, carrying, or possession of the firearm by the recipient would constitute a felony, in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 933(a)(1) and (b).

COUNT TWENTY-TWO
(Possession of Unregistered Machineguns)

On or about April 20, 2023, in the Western District of Missouri, the defendant, **DEJOHUAN MIETZ HUNTLEY**, knowingly possessed firearms, that is,

- A Glock, Model 17, 9mm caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number BKUB535, that had been altered into a machinegun; and
- A Glock, Model 22, .40 caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number MYR680, that had been altered into a machinegun,

which each said firearm was not then registered to him in the National Firearms Registration and Transfer Record, all in violation of Title 26, United States Code, Sections 5861(d), 5871 and 5845.

COUNT TWENTY-THREE
(Felon in Possession of Firearms)

On or about April 20, 2023, in the Western District of Missouri, the defendant, **DEJOHUAN MIETZ HUNTLEY**, then knowing he had been convicted of a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year, did knowingly and unlawfully possess a firearm, to wit:

- A Glock, Model 17, 9mm caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number BKUB535, that had been altered into a machinegun; and
- A Glock, Model 22, .40 caliber, pistol, bearing Serial Number MYR680, that had been altered into a machinegun,

which had been transported in interstate commerce, all in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 922(g)(1), and 924(a)(8).

FORFEITURE ALLEGATION

The allegations contained in Counts 1, 3, 5, 6, 7, 9, 11, 13, 14, 16, 18 and 21 above are hereby incorporated as though fully set forth herein for the purpose of charging criminal forfeiture to the United States of America pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 934.

As a result of committing the firearms trafficking offenses alleged in Counts 1, 3, 5, 6, 7, 9, 11, 13, 14, 16, 18 and 21 of this Indictment, **ANTONIO MANNING, DEJOHUAN MIETZ HUNTLEY, SHERON LAMONT MANNING, and MICHAEL DEWAYNE HARDY**, shall forfeit to the United States, pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 934, any and all property constituting, or derived from, any proceeds obtained directly or indirectly, as a result of the said violations, and any property used, or intended to be used, in any manner or part, to commit, or to facilitate the commission of the said violations, including but not limited to a forfeiture money judgment representing proceeds the defendants personally obtained, directly

and indirectly, as a result of their participation in the firearms trafficking offenses alleged in Counts 1, 3, 5, 6, 7, 9, 11, 13, 14, 16, 18 and 21.

SUBSTITUTE ASSETS

If any of the property described above, as a result of any act or omission of the defendants:

- a. cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence;
- b. has been transferred or sold to, or deposited with, a third party;
- c. has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of the Court;
- d. has been substantially diminished in value; or
- e. has been commingled with other property which cannot be divided without difficulty,

the United States of America shall be entitled to forfeiture of substitute property pursuant to Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(p).

A TRUE BILL.

05/17/2023
DATE

/s/ James Chamberlain
FOREPERSON OF THE GRAND JURY

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